



# Proclamation

## GCCMA 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia City-County Management Association (GCCMA) is celebrating 60 years of service to Georgia's leaders, cities, and counties, GCCMA is the recognized affiliate organization of the International City/County Management Association (ICMA); and

**WHEREAS**, GCCMA, originally founded in 1956 by a small group of managers interested in professional development, has grown and expanded its membership to include Georgia's city and county managers and administrators, directors of regional development centers, and their principal assistants and GCCMA membership represents several state agencies in addition to representatives of the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia and the Georgia Municipal Association; and

**WHEREAS**, GCCMA is revered as the premier association of professional local government leaders building sustainable communities to improve lives across Georgia and GCCMA's mission is to create excellence in local governance by fostering innovation, collaboration, mentoring, networking, continuing education and other professional development opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, GCCMA provides a variety of member services including a coaching program and two educational conferences each year, with programs emphasizing issues of special interest to Georgia Managers and GCCMA members also have access to multiple training programs on special subject matters as part of GCCMA's commitment to continuing professional development; and

**WHEREAS**, GCCMA has assisted professional local government managers in all areas of the State of Georgia in obtaining continued education and experience through scholarship and internship programs.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners hereby recognize the **Georgia City-County Management Association's 60th Anniversary** in the year of 2016 and encourage all of our government leaders to recognize GCCMA for the significant impact the organization has made and continues to make in Georgia's communities.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have set our hand and caused the seal of Lumpkin County to be affixed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.

Lumpkin County, Georgia

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Chris Dockery, Chairman  
Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

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Kathleen C. Walker, County Clerk

